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FREE

GIFT DISTRIBUTION!

Every purchaser of $5.00 worth of goods from our large and well-selected retail stock, consisting of

CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Etc.,

Will be presented with a ticket entitling the holder to one share in the **FREE GIFT DISTRIBUTION** of the following Prizes:

ONE $50.00 IN GOLD.
" 25.00 " "
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" 25.00 " OVERCOAT.
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" 20.00 " OVERCOAT.
" 15.00 " SUIT.
" 15.00 BOY'S OVERCOAT.
" 10.00 " SUIT.
" 15.00 PANTS TO ORDER.
" 15.00 ZINC TRUNK.
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" BARREL FLOUR from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
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To be Given Away Mar. 2, 1882

PANTS MADE TO ORDER FOR $5.00.

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March 30, 1881—d&wtf

Trade Booming the Past Week!

Sales Unprecedented, Good Goods, Low Prices

Prompt Attention, New and Attractive Goods Every Day, Every Sale a Bargain for the Purchaser. Have compared and know we are selling lots of Goods away below Jobber's prices three and four weeks ago. The break in prices fearful, and we propose our customers shall have the benefit. Five to 15 cents a yard worth saving.

NEW BONNETS, NEW HATS, NEW PARASOLS,

NEW GLOVES, HOSIERY, &c., &c.,

AT LOWER PRICES THAN EVER KNOWN.

Full Lines of Staples and Domestics at Jobber's rates.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

No. 10 Merchant St., Gehrmann's Old Stand.

May 4, 1881—d&wtf

How to Make Money!

$5 in one day often makes				$25 to	$50
$10 in	"	"	"	$50 to	$100
$25 in	"	"	"	$100 to	$250
$100 in	"	"	"	$500 to	$1000
$500 in	"	"	"	$3,000 to	$10,000

A small investment often leads to fortune. Speculating in Stocks, Wheat and Provisions on small margins. Send for Pamphlet, "How to Trade," free. Capital, $50,000. FLEMMING & MILLER, Brokers, 23 Merchants' Building, Chicago, Ill. apr21d1mo

We keep everything in our line: low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

First class new organs for sale at cost, to close out stock, at the bookstore of A. J. Wallace & Co. $30 to $50 saved by buying of them. m12d&wtf

NOTICE OF SALE.

Executrix's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, made at the April term thereof, A. D., 1881, upon the petition of the undersigned, executrix of the estate of Thomas Downing, deceased, against John E. Downing and others, I will, on the 18th day of May, 1881, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock of the afternoon of said day, sell at public vendue, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, Illinois, the following described real estate situated in Macon county, Illinois; to-wit: All the interest of the said Thomas Downing, deceased, in lots three (3) and six (6) in block fifteen (15) in Allen, McReynold's & Co.'s addition to the town (now city) of Decatur.

Terms of sale: One-half cash, and one-half on twelve months' time, the deferred payment to be secured by note, bearing 6 per cent. interest, with approved personal security and mortgage upon the premises sold, said mortgage to provide for the payment of an attorney's fee in case of foreclosure. No conveyance to be made until the sale has been reported and approved by said court.

MARGARET A. DOWNING,
Executrix.

Dated: Decatur, Ill., April 19th, 1881. d4w

Combats of the Ocean.

Among the extraordinary spectacles sometimes witnessed by those who "go down to the sea in ships," none are more impressive than a combat for the supremacy between the monsters of the deep. The battles of the sword-fish and the whale are described as Homeric in grandeur.

The sword-fish go in schools, like whales, and the attacks are regular sea-fights. When the two troops meet, as soon as the sword-fish have betrayed their presence by a few bounds in the air, the whales draw close together and close up their ranks. The sword-fish always endeavors to strike the whale in the flank, either because its cruel instinct has revealed to it the defect in the carcasses—for there exists near the brachial fins of the whale a spot where wounds are mortal—or because the flank presents a wider surface to its blow.

The sword-fish recoils to secure a greater impetus. If the movement escapes the keen eye of his adversary, the whale is lost, for it receives the blow of the enemy and dies instantly. But, if the whale perceives the sword-fish at the instant of the rush, by a spontaneous bound, it springs clear of the water its entire length, and falls on its flank with a crash that resounds for many leagues and whitens the sea with boiling foam.

The gigantic animal has only its tail for its defence. It tries to strike its enemy, and finishes him at a single blow. But, if the active sword-fish avoid the fatal tail, the battle becomes more terrible. The aggressor springs from the water in his turn, falls upon the whale, and attempts, not to pierce, but to saw it with the teeth and garnish its weapon. The sea is stained with blood; the fury of the whale is boundless. The sword fish harrasses him, strikes him on every side, kills him, and flies to other victories.

Often the sword-fish has not time to avoid the fall of the whale, and contents itself with presenting its sharp saw to the flank of the gigantic animal which is about to crush it. It then dies like Maccaeus, smothered beneath the weight of the elephant of the ocean. Finally the whale gives a few last bounds into the air, dragging its assassin in its flight, and perishes as it kills the monster of which it was the victim.

In Heaven.

Lewiston Journal.

The latest and most refreshing Sabbath-school incident happened in a class not a thousand miles from Lewiston. The teacher had grown eloquent in picturing to his little pupils the beauties of heaven, and he finally asked: "What kind of boys go to heaven?" A lively little 4-year-old boy, with kicking boots, flourished his fist. "Well, you may answer," said the teacher. "Dead ones," the little fellow shouted at the extent of his lungs.

Only One Want.

Bebel, a member of the German Reichstag says that "the German people have now only one want, and that is for money enough to get to America."

Stop That Cough,

If you are suffering with a Cough, Cold, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Consumption, loss of voice, tickling in the throat, or any affection of the Throat or Lungs, use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. This is the great remedy that is causing so much excitement by its wonderful cures, curing thousands of hopeless cases. Over one million bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery have been used within the past year, and have given perfect satisfaction in every case. We can unhesitatingly say that this is really the only *sure cure* for throat and lung affections, and can cheerfully recommend it to all. Call and get a trial bottle free of cost or a regular size for $1.00, at Hubbard & Swearingen's Decatur, Ill. 3

A LARGE lot of Hassocks and Ottomans will be closed out on our *cheap counter* at greatly reduced prices.
Jan. 6—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

J. H. KREBS, Agent for S. T. Taylor's Imported Patterns. [mar7d&wtf

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth and Head Ache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge.
Sold by Henry Smith. dec11-dcod&w

THE best new Davis sewing machines can be had for $10 less than agents prices at A. J. Wallace & Co's book store. Call and see before buying. m12d&wtf

JACOB LOECKMAN, 274 Clinton street, Buffalo, N. Y., says he has been using Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for rheumatism, he had such a lame back he could not do anything, but one bottle to use his own expression, "cured him up;" he thinks it the best thing in the market. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

THE PROPAH CAPAH.

The correct thing to do when one has a cough or an attack of rheumatism, is to use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, or if one has a valuable horse afflicted with some of the diseases or hurts to which horseflesh is heir, use the same reliable means of cure.
For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

B. STINE,

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"Boss Clothier!"

Offers to the trade the best line of

FINE CUSTOM-MADE

CLOTHING

EVER EXHIBITED IN THIS CITY,

At lower prices than any of our competitors would charge you for

SLOP-SHOP, INFERIOR GOODS!

While most houses want you to see them first, when you wish to buy, we would rather have you look through their stocks first, and after examining our line of Clothing your judgment will tell you that our statement is correct.

REMEMBER!

We guarantee every article as represented, or refund the money. Respectfully,

B. STINE,

The "BOSS CLOTHIER."

May 6, 1881—dtf

New Restaurant.

I have opened a new restaurant at No. 18 south side of the city park, and am prepared to serve good meals at any hour of the day. Will give reduced rates to regular day boarders. Members of the different granges in the county, and the public generally are invited to give me a call. LYDIA MAGAW.
April 20 d1m

Cash Does the Business.

We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade. Come and see us; we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones. BARBER & BAKER.
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E	for styles	E	gents furnishings	T
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Linn & Scruggs Old Stand.

WE WANT you custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

Tailors Wanted.

By Fleury, the French cutter. None but experienced hands need apply.
apr 24-dtf

Going to Sell Them.

Best Oil Shading, 15c per yard.
Shade Fixtures, 12½c each.
Tassels, 5c each.
Spring Fixtures, best, 35c each.
Fringe, 5c per yard.
Plenty of them and all the best, to close out, at ASHBY & ANDRESS'.
Cerro Gordo street, car runs by the door.
April 18-d&w1m

Go to Fleury, the French Cutter, for the Latest Styles, Best Quality and Lowest Prices. 12-d&wtf

Found at Last!

Some people have found it difficult to secure a good comfortable fitting shoe, but when they try a pair of J. W. Baker's shoes made over the "Common Sense Last," they decide that they are not only comfortable but that they last a long time. ap16-d&wtf

NATURE'S TRIUMPH.

FRAZIER'S ROOT BITTERS

If you are weak, or languid, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your flesh is flabby and your complexion sallow, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you live in a malarial district, use Frazier's Bitters.
If worn down with the care of children, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have got the blues, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you have kept late hours and lived contrary to the laws of health, use Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you need toning up, take Frazier's Root Bitters.
If you have abused instead of used nature's gifts, use Frazier's Bitters.
If you feel old before your time, use Frazier's Bitters.
If life has become a burden and you have gloomy forebodings, use Frazier's Bitters.
If your hands tremble and your eyes have grown dim, Frazier's Root Bitters will make you feel young again. Sold by all druggists everywhere at the low price $1.00 per bottle.
HENRY & DAVIES, Sole Prop's,
Dec. 29, 1880—d&weonly CLEVELAND, O.

THE Metropolitan Fashion Journal and Catalogue, containing new and fresh styles every month, free. The "Delineator," Butterick's Monthly Fashion Magazine, 15 cents per copy, at
Dec. 13—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

MOODY'S, FOY'S, BORTREE'S, together with the LARGEST, CHEAPEST and BEST assortment of FRENCH and AMERICAN CORSETS, *to be found anywhere*.
Feb. 9—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

Made to Order.

The celebrated Wilson Bros.' shirts made to order and in stock, at
tf B. STINE'S, the Boss Clothier.

Mrs. Grindol, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders; fare good, and price very reasonable.
March 5—dtf

KEEP your feet dry by getting a pair of Rubbers at J. W. Baker's
3-d&wtf

Why

will you pay $2.50 or $2.00 for shoes when you can go to No. 18 East Main street and buy the same quality of shoes of J. W. Baker for $2.00 and $1.50.
Feb. 3-d&wtf

PATENT "La Reine" corded corsets, a beautiful corset, superbly made, without bones, in high favor with many, to which we call the attention of the ladies.
dec 18 LINN & SCRUGGS.

Don't Forget

That we offer a splendid assortment of *Hassocks* and *Jackets* at less than *manufacturer's cost*. CHEAP STORE.

18

"CHEAP CHARLEY'S" CORNER.

ON THE TOP

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CLOTHING TRADE

In Central Illinois,—and we may say in the West,—**stands**

Cheap Charley,

— WITH HIS —

Fine Array of Custom-Made Clothing.

WE SELECT OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CONTROL OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CUT OUR OWN PATTERNS!
WE MAKE FITTING SIZES!
WE GUARANTEE OUR OWN GOODS!
WE GIVE SATISFACTION IN EVERY INSTANCE!

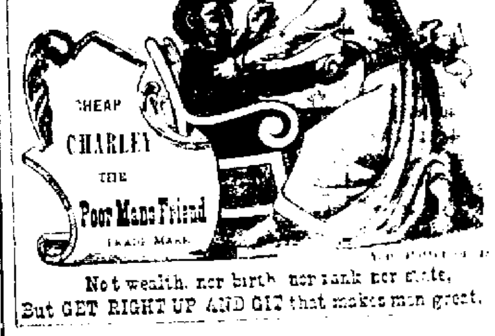
We return the money cheerfully if goods prove not satisfactory when taken home and returned to us not soiled.
We save our customers the middleman's profit, as we are first hand.

THE LARGEST STOCK,
THE BEST ASSORTMENT,
THE LOWEST PRICE,

And last, but not least, **ONE-PRICE TO ALL.**

KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Manufacturers of Clothing.

Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Trunks and Valises, at Jobber's Prices. **CHEAP CHARLEY.**



Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

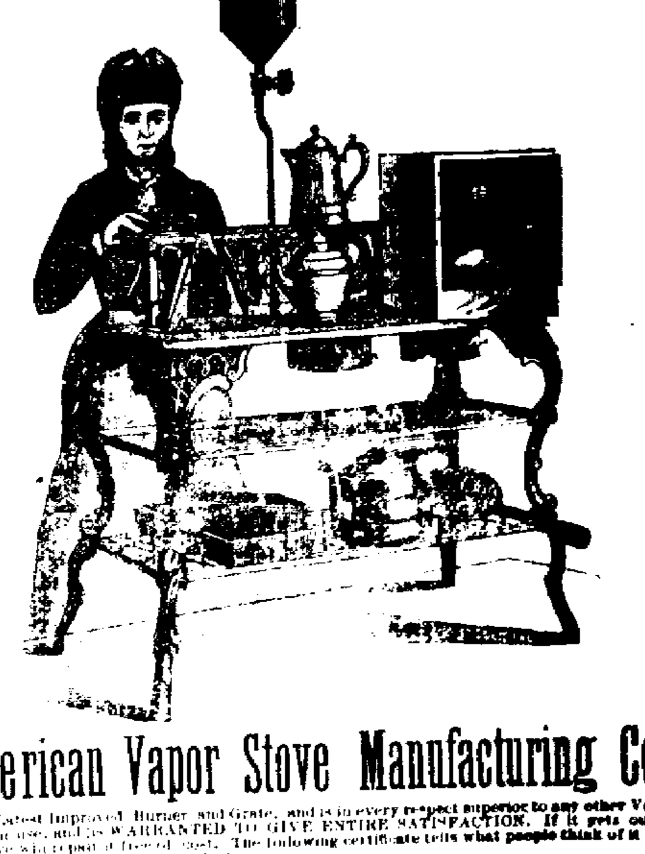
Cor. East Main & Water Sts.

DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illinois
March 10—d&wtf

The American Vapor Cooking Stove

Manufactured in this City by the



American Vapor Stove Manufacturing Co

Is the Latest Improved Burner and Grate, and is in every respect superior to any other Vapor Stove in use, and is WARRANTED TO GIVE ENTIRE SATISFACTION. If it gets out of order we will repair it free of cost. The following certificate tells what people think of it who have used it. Patronize home industry.

Call at the Factory on 3rd floor, over J. Millikin & Co's Ba[nk]

and see it work before purchasing any of the low grade stoves.

The undersigned having purchased and in use one of the Improved Vapor Stoves, invented by PAUL GIEKELSCH, and manufactured by the

American Vapor Stove Manufacturing Co., of Decatur, Illinois

Desire to bear testimony to its excellent qualities. We find it SAFE, SIMPLE, easy to be understood in its management, economical in the way of fuel, and so very convenient for all purposes that we don't believe any person having used one could be easily induced to part with it.

Mrs. Wm. Flack,	Mrs. C. A. Elwood,	Mrs. Dr. Sibley,	Mrs. H. L. Archer
" D. L. Bunn,	" Dr. Bumstead,	" J. C. Marcott,	" Dr. Hostetler
" J. A. Barns,	" Wm. Benner,	" J. R. Locke,	" W. F. [illegible]
" Dr. Walters,	" A. Brower,	" L. L. Ferriss,	" J. H. Cunning[ham]
" J. C. Fuller,	" J. A. Lefotzey,	" S. M. Irwin,	" J. W. [illegible]
" A. J. Thompson,	" Wm. Dodson,	" Maggie Hooker,	" Frank Wood,
" C. H. Brown,	" Fred Wood,	" D. C. Shockley,	" John A. Brow[n]
" Jas. O'Neill,	" J. P. Miller,	" John W. Tyler, Sr.,	" E. H. Roe,
" W. J. Wayne,	" Conrad Funk	" P. Loeb,	" C. A. [illegible]
" J. C. Hostrick,	" Geo. Wyeth,	" Henry Adams,	" J. W. Hardey
" J. W. Tyler, Jr.,	" Wm Archer,		

I have in constant use day and night, two of the Vapor Stoves manufactured by the American Vapor Stove Manufacturing Company, of this city, and it affords me pleasure to say they give me entire satisfaction and I cheerfully recommend it as safe, economical and convenient.
N. A. WHITE, Prop. of Central Hotel, Decatur, Ill.

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THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 12, 1881.

THE census of Switzerland for 1880 was taken on the night of November 30, and the chief points of inquiry have been already formulated and put forth by the government. The population of Switzerland at the date in question, as given in the official returns, amounted to 2,831,787. In 1870 in amounted to 2,655,001. In thirty years the population has increased 441,671, equal to an average of 14,387 a year.

THE latest statistics, we are told, show 41,678,000 school children in the world, so far as the census takers were enabled to ascertain. These have about 1,000,000 teachers. First in proportion to population comes the United States, with 9,373,195 pupils, and 271,144 teachers. Both here and in France the school children form one-fifth of the population. Prussia, with 4,007,776 pupils and 57,936 teachrs takes the third place. Next come England and Wales, where, as in Prussia, school children are one-sixth of the population. Austria then files into line. In Japan there are 2,162,962 school children, but the total population is not known.

A WASHINGTON correspondent writes that "under the code of etiquette, as proclaimed by Mrs. Dahlgren, Mrs. Blaine has succeeded in having herself and the other Cabinet ladies (as they and themselves) exempted from returning calls. This really places these dames a step higher, socially, than the wives and daughters of the Justices of the Supreme Court, of Congressmen, of other civil officials, of the officers of the army and navy, and of the wealthy citizens who make the metropolis their winter home. They threaten rebellion, and say that next season, if the Cabinet ladies don't return their visits, they won't invite them to their houses. On the whole, it is a very pretty quarrel, and it is not strange that Mrs. Dahlgren, having printed her amended code, has escaped from the wrath to come, and retired in good order to her summer retreat on the slope of South Mountain, in Maryland, near where the battle was fought in which Hayes was wounded.'

THE value of expert testimony in court both in civil and criminal cases, has at various times been made a prominent subject of discussion. The difficulty in the matter, and that which so often goes to discredit or to neutralize expert testimony, is the disagreement of doctors. Of this we have had several striking instances in the Whittaker trial, touching Whittaker's handwriting, about which expert phonographers have expressed radically divergent opinions. But a day or two ago a very decided difference of view seems to have occurred between the Judge Advocate and one Dr. Piper. Thus what Maj. Gardner described as a full and flowing loop Dr. Piper declared to be sharp and angular, and writings that the Judge Advocate characterized as awkward and scrawling, appeared to the witness exceptionally graceful. But this might have been merely a difference of taste. It is possible, also, that Dr. Piper is cross eyed; whereby a piece of cramped and angular handwriting would appear to his vision to be flowing and beautiful.

A FELLOW was hanged in Vermont, the other day, who seems to have died in a phenomenal condition of ignorance. So abject, indeed, was his illiteracy, that it would seem to be doubtful whether he ought to have been held responsible for his acts. This is the view of the matter taken by a member of the Vermont Legislature, who, in an open letter to Gov. Farnum says: "That a person born and reared within the bounds of our State should reach the age of 40 unable to read and write, to distinguish the months of the year or the different denominations of money, is owing either to the criminal negligence of the State or to the utter incapacity of the individual—either of which conditions should debar the State from the execution of the death penalty."

THE whole current of English history was changed by a petty quarrel in the synagogue of which Isaac Disraeli was a member. The authorities of the synagogue could not yield, and Isaac would not. So the latter withdrew from fellowship. But he never became a Christian. His son was baptized at the instance of Samuel Rogers, the poet, who was himself something of a Pagan, but had too much worldly sense not to perceive the advantage the younger Disraeli would derive from membership in the State Church. If he had remained a Jew Lord Beaconsfield's Parliamentary career could not have begun until thirty years later than it did; and he would never then have been a rival of Gladstone, or probably a conspicuous member of any government. Benjamin Disraeli and his two younger brothers were circumcised, but all became Christians.

PARENTS should not forget that their shoe bills can be reduced one-half by purchasing for their children shoes with the A. S. T. Black Tip upon them They wear as long as the metal, while adding to the beauty of the shoe
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British Census Returns.

The British census returns are beginning to come in. Something like complete returns of the larger places in Scotland have already been published. At present, however, the population of the great towns is all that it is worth while to notice. Glasgow, which returned 477,156 in 1871, has now a population of 555,289,—about 11,000 less than Brooklyn. Its growth in ten years was only 78,000, while that of Brooklyn was 270,000. Edinburg reports 225,435, a few thousand less than San Francisco, but San Francisco gained in ten years more than 84,000, while Edinburg added but 28,500 to her population. Dundee, the third city, numbers 140,463 persons,—7,000 less than Washington, and 4,000 more than Newark; but while Dundee gained only 18,500, Washington increased 33,000 and Newark 31,000. The population of Aberdeen is 105,181, or very nearly the same as Providence. The second-class towns of Scotland have increased more rapidly than the largest. Ten such towns are mentioned, ranging in population between 11,000 and 16,000, which have increased by percentages varying between 21 and 125. The total increase in about 160 large places is about 275,000, and probably this is a large proportion of the whole addition, as the rural parts of the country are not supposed to be gaining much, if any.

Mrs. Lincoln's Health.

Springfield Journal.

Mrs. Lincoln, now making her home with the family of Hon. Ninian W. Edwards, is still in a pecarious condition. She is a great sufferer from an injury received from a fall while in Europe, the affects of which have resulted in Bright's disease. Her nervous system is almost completely prostrated, which is attributable to the assassination of her husband, and the all but tragic death of a son. She is confined to her bed most of the time, but is tenderly cared for by her sisters, Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. C. M. Smith. Should she be able to bear transportation, she will visit New York for medical treatment, probably during the next month. She is much wasted in flesh, and it seems impossible to arrest her decline.

PARIS has her Produce, Petroleum, Grain, Coal, and Alcohol Exchanges: but it has also a Cigar Stump Exchange. Every morning the bulls and bears of this singular Exchange, or Bourse, convene on the place Maubert, in the old Latin Quarter, while from a few of the wine rooms in the neighborhood the wholesale dealers in stumps issue their orders for purchases and sales. The cigar-stumps are carefully assorted according to the value of the tobacco composing them. A kilo of stumps of imported Londres varies in price from 1½ to 5 francs, according to length. Ordinary grades are only valued from 1 to 8 francs per kilo. One of the speculators in this article, when asked about the condition of the market, answered: "We cannot supply all the goods the trade demands. Our connections are not limited to Paris alone. We also furnish goods to the provinces, but the chief demand is for export." The founder of the Cigar-Stump Exchange, himself a wholesale dealer in the article, died lately, and left to his family a fortune of 300,000 francs.

THE whale which has been on exhibition in various places has just been embalmed in Cleveland by a secret process, which is expected to preserve the huge creature for an indefinite period of time. The operation required the services of three Cleveland butchers, who consented to play the role of Jonah in a manner and for a purpose which that performer never contemplated when he created the part. They descended into the whale's stomach and cut away superfluous portions of the flesh and removed the entrails. Leviathan was then washed out as clean as a whistle from stem to stern, preparatory to the embalming process.

SEVERAL weeks ago, says a Washington correspondent, a remarkably beautiful model was posing before the "life class" of the Corcoran gallery of art. She, as all the models are, was provided with a mask to conceal her identity. She was posing as Psyche, when suddenly she fell forward in a faint. Her mask flew off, and the student recognized the features as those of the widow of an ex-General in the Union army. She is possessed of a large fortune, but her vanity about her splendid figure induced her to appear as a model.

THE maddest man in Nebraska is a saloon-keeper at Lincoln. He had been buying lottery tickets, and some loafers "put up a job" on him by publishing a fictitious telegram in the local paper that the number held by him had drawn a $15,000 prize. His bar was free for the entire day, and all the loafers in town got drunk at his expense. It was a very difficult matter to convince him that he had not drawn the prize, so strong was his faith in newspapers, but he will never again believe a word he sees in print.

IMPORTED Colored Gent's Hose at STINE'S 11—ltf.

Take notice.

All persons are warned not to deposit filth, manure, or trash of any description in the streets or alleys or on any vacant lot within the city limits. Any person guilty of such acts will be dealt with immediately under the city ordinances and punished to the fullest extent of the law H. W. WAGGONER, Mayor.
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GENT'S Imported (French) silk undershirts at STINE'S. 11—dtf.

MACON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.

May Term 1881—Judge Smith Presiding.

THURSDAY, MAY 12.

Court convened at 8:30 a. m.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Martha E Daly vs Albert Daly et al, chancery; report of sale approved and case stricken from docket.

Sarah C Lambert vs. Jonathan Humphreys et al; foreclosure; report of sale approved, and leave granted to withdraw mortgage and note by leaving certified copies.

Nora A Rogers vs Mary J McGlade, et al; report of sale approved.

Nicholas L Prather et al, vs Nancy E Neat et al, chancery; proof of publication made and J C. Hostetler appointed guardian *ad litem*.

Margaret Kennedy et al vs Patrick Kennedy et al; partition; H Pasco, Esq., appointed guardian *ad litem*.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

The verdict of the jury in the celebrated case of Berlin, Vest and Winebrenner against the City of Decatur to recover $206, claimed to be due the plaintiffs for services as special policeman under ex-Mayor Priest's administration, was in favor of the defendant. Counsel for Berlin and Vest entered a motion for a new trial

H H Black, administrator &c., vs H C and W C Johns; assumpsit; motion entered by plaintiff for a continuance.

Mary A Crowl vs Elias Weaver and Jas. D Johnson et al; assumpsit; dismissed for want of prosecution.

Peddecord & Burrows vs James A Read sci fa; dismissed by plaintiffs.

John Quinn vs. Wm Culbertson appellant, appeal; appeal dismissed and a writ of procedendo ordered, sending the case back to the justice.

Luella Hinkle vs Wabash R R. Co., appellant; appeal; suit dismissed as per agreement on file

J H Kerrick & Co vs W H Wilson, replevin; demurrer to 3d and 4th pleas overruled

Jacob Deardorff vs Wabash R. R Co.; trespass; demurrer to 2d plea in two cases sustained and leave granted to amend.

Francis A Seatch vs Annetta H Carleton et al; trespass; trial by jury pending. This case is instituted by the plaintiff to recover alleged damages in the sum of $1,000, on account of injuries claimed to have been inflicted upon a son of the plaintiff while attending school in this city The case was tried at the last December term of court, but the jury failed to agree

THE following is a Democratic view of the Conkling-Robertson quarrel. It is from the pen of ex-Governor Palmer, of Illinois, and is published in his paper, the Springfield *Register*: Had Senator Conkling attempted to dictate to the President some particular person for nomination, had the President refused to be dictated to, had he then sent in the name of Robertson, had Conkling then opposed it, then the President would be wholly right and Conkling wholly wrong. But such is not the case. Conkling did not attempt to control the New York custom house nomination, but the President, in collusion with Blaine and others of the strictly personal enemies of Conkling, selected the most implacable enemy of the latter, for no better reason than that he was Conkling's enemy. That is to say, Robertson's fitness for the position was predicated on his opposition to Conkling. It appears, therefore, that the President declared war on the New York trio in the senate, and is now bitterly resentful that they are not submissive. It is true that there is a breach in the ranks of the Republican party in New York, but it has not been brought to the President's knowledge by any of the elements entering into the operations of making and confirming an appointment. And now the President has capped the climax of his error by attempting to punish Conkling by turning out all of Conkling's friends.

NEW ORLEANS, May 11.—Jefferson Davis, in his speech at the unveiling of the Stonewall Jackson statue, said: "From the academic shades of the Military Institute Jackson went forth to battle for the cause of State rights, self-government and constitutional liberty. He lived for his country, never doubting the justice of his cause, believing it was righteous and trusting in it. He died, as I live to-day, feeling that the Confederacy ought to have succeeded, because it was founded on truth and justice. He gave his life for the whole country, and the country gave its heart to Jackson. You men upon whom he leaned in the hour of danger, in honoring him also honor yourselves."

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WASHINGTON.

Stanley Matthew's Case Hanging Fire.

Legislative Proceedings.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 11.—In the senate the bill to simplify the present form of letting the state printing contracts was sent to a third reading.

A bill of the warehouse committee to allow the railroad board to establish new inspection districts in Chicago, so as to extend "class A" of the inspection to all of Cook county, was passed, as was a house bill to revise the drainage law for the more particular benefit of Adams and Hancock counties.

Merritt's valued policy insurance bill came up on its passage, and was again defeated, receiving only twenty-three votes.

The consolidated prison appropriation bill, giving to both institutions $275,000 for current expenses, was cut down to $250,000, and sent to a third reading, after meeting with considerable opposition.

Fuller's sine die adjournment resolution, postponed with amendments from yesterday, was taken up, and the caucus programme carried out, the previous question being ordered and all debate cut off. Merritt's amendment to instruct the apportionment committees of both houses to at once prepare and present both congressional and senatorial bills was defeated by a vote of 14 to 28, and the part looking to adjourned session on February 25 defeated, and the resolution adopted fixing the date of sine die adjournment for May 27.

The apportionment committee expect to get out both congressional and senatorial apportionment bills, and are now working hard on them. It is probable that both will be passed by the senate.

The Sunderland Hinds bill came up as a special order, a large crowd of temperance ladies being present in the galleries to note the action on it. It was opposed by Mr. Bell, of Peoria, in in a long speech, followed by Mr. Sunderland and Mr. Rice, of Ogle, in support of it. The debate was not concluded when a recess was taken for dinner

HOUSE.

In the house the whole morning was spent in a continuance of the consideration of the opposition bill of the Elgin insane hospital. Nearly every item was cut down and a number stricken out. Finally, Harrington, of Kane, moved to strike out all after the enacting clause, and insert instead the body of the senate bill already passed there and before the house.

Durfee, of Macon, moved to substitute by referring the whole matter to the committee on appropriations, which was lost, and a recess taken for dinner.

Martin, of White, an ancient Bourbon Democrat, tried to get in a resolution endorsing Garfield for his action on the nominations and his fight with Conkling, but could not get the rules suspended for that purpose.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Senate executive session lasted about four and a half hours to-day. A large number of postmasters and other nominations were reported, which occupied over an hour.

The next motion, to consider a resolution to print Mr. Hoar's speech against the Chinese treaty, was taken up and argued. Mr. Hoar made a long speech against reconsideration, but it was carried, and a resolution to permit the publication of the speech was tabled.

Stanley Matthews' nomination was next taken up. Edmunds and Bayard made speeches against the confirmation of Matthews, both taking the ground that he was not a fit man to go on the Supreme Bench. They spoke of the exalted position of a United States Supreme Judge, and claimed that men of only spotless reputation should be so elevated. They referred to the past acts of Matthews, which, they said, showed him to be more of a politician than a statesman or jurist. Mr. Ingalls spoke in behalf of Mr. Matthews, claiming a high order of talent and integrity for him. That in the long public life of any man who had been so prominent mistakes must naturally have been made. Mr. Edgerton spoke briefly against Mr. Matthews, insisting that he is a stranger to the circuit he would as Supreme Judge be assigned, and that the people of that circuit want a Judge who belongs to it and is familiar with its bench and bar. Mr. Sherman put a few questions to the opponents of Mr. Matthews in order to reply to the points made against him. Don Cameron is working with all his might for Matthews, and the friends of Matthews, inside and outside of the Senate still claim that he will be confirmed and this is the judgment of some of his opponents. There is a report that Bayard's speech had a marked effect upon the Democrats, but workers for Matthews say it only made two votes doubtful. It is expected to get through and reach a vote on Matthews to-morrow. Then a motion will be made to adjourn until Monday. Conkling and his friends are working for delay now, and if they can adjourn the Senate until next week it will give them several days breathing spell.

Mrs. Garfield's illness now takes all the President's attention. He has refused to see anybody, even senators, to-day and to-night, hence it is impossible to learn how he feels about the publication of the New York *Herald*, giving the Conkling side of the controversy, and which it is understood was furnished by Conkling. A senator, who is one of Conkling's closest friends and most trusted lieutenants, said last night that all statements to the effect that Conkling had said the President had deceived him were false: that during all of the controversy since Robertson was nominated Conkling had never spoken disrespectfully of the President, and all statements to the contrary were "inventions of the enemy." Something similar to this was stated in caucus, and it was understood that the President was to be assured that Mr. Conkling had neither attacked, threatened, nor defamed him. This raised the hopes of some that the President might listen to proposals of compromise when assured Mr. Conkling had not in any way assailed him. The attack in the *Herald* to-day, however, is generally regarded as Mr. Conkling's publication of his side of the case.

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An old darkey Baptist preacher used to lay particular stress on the fact that the Testament whilst alluding to John *the* Baptist, never speaks of John *the* Methodist, or John *the* Presbyterian, or John *the* Episcopalian. It's a wonder he didn't say it was a pity Spring Blossom was not known in the time of Job, for its a certain cure for boils. Prices, $1, 50 cents; and trial bottles 10 cents.

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IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of Harrison D. Keller, Bankrupt.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said court by said Harrison D. Keller, of Friends Creek, in the county of Macon, in said district, duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the tenth day of June, A. D. 1881, at eleven o'clock A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said bankrupt, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Attorneys for Petitioner.

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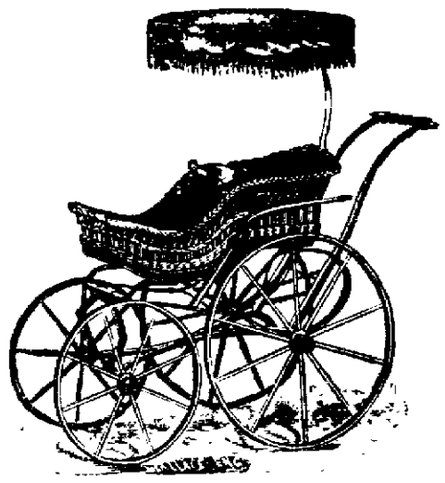

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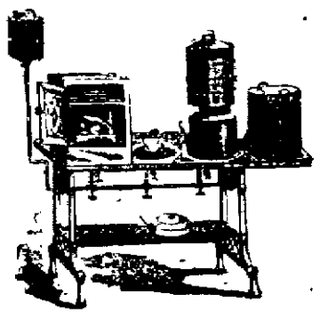

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AT the 1st M E Church last night the subject of profanity was under discussion It was thought to be a bad way of talking

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NEW YORK Saddle Rock Oysters big fat and fresh, just received to day all sweet and nice, at Miller's Lunch Room

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JUST received at Young Bros a fine lot of Michigan Early Rose potatoes ...

STEAMS up again at Stare Bros old planing mill, and yesterday Charles Dal... [illegible] served as engineer

WE have a complete line of Notions and Ladies Furnishing Goods ... BEAR & ... [illegible]

VIEWS of the city park April 2, 1881, for sale at A T Grist's apr ...

TRY a load of that nicely screened soft nut coal, for summer use, at Caldwell Coal Yard Office with American Express Co., three doors west of post office 10 d1m

LEAVE orders at Young & Norman's barber shop and at Walters & Tyler's drug store for William Beard's carriage for parties funerals and all trains 7d1w

GET a beautiful wall ... at Dr Stoner's drug store for ... all sizes 7dtf

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JUSTICE CURREY last evening fined Daniel Brooks, or Kniffen, the obstreperous butcher arrested Monday afternoon by Marshal Hewes and Officer Brewer, $... and costs on a charge of being drunk and disorderly ... [illegible]

PRICES at Frank ... Lunch Kitchen on South Water street Day board $... per week ... [illegible] always on hand ... Ice cream and lemonade Meals at all hours and lodging furnished for transients May 9 d&w1m

ALL horses ... for the eastern market this spring should be brought in before May 18th F B PRATT 10d&w1w

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HARTFORD and Lowell carpets in new styles and beautiful colorings ... received by Linn & Scruggs March 30 d&wtf

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ANOTHER new invoice of Tuscan and fancy braids in bonnets and hats just received at Mrs R C Hamsher's, No 21 Central Block Also a fine selection of shaded and plaid silks and ribbons, and all the latest novelties in the millinery line 4 d&wtf

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NINE of the tramps who were jailed on last Monday night by the officers were marshaled and taken before Justice McGorray this forenoon, for examination under a general charge of vagrancy The hearing was continued until next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, and the prisoners were recommitted to the custody of the sheriff without bail The statute gives the justice power to sentence vagabonds to imprisonment for a term of not more than six months, or order them to work on the streets The tenth tramp was sent to his home at St Louis

MLLE MARIE LITTA, America's favorite prima donna, assisted by the following solo artists Miss Hattie McLain, contralto Mr Harry L Cleveland, tenor, Miss Zeline Mantey, violinist, Mr John Skelton, cornetist, and Miss Nellie Bangs, pianist and accompanist, will give one of their grand concerts at the tabernacle in this city, on Monday evening, June 6th, under the auspices of the trustees of the building The admission will be 50 cts, reserved seats, 75 cents The company is a good one and will doubtless be greeted by a large audience.

YESTERDAY afternoon a party of six couples in tony buggies repaired to the inviting banks of the classic Sangamon, near the Mt Zion bridge, and inaugurated the picnic season of 1881 by participating in outdoor pleasures and angling for the finny tribe with great success Supper was discussed on the green beneath the shady trees at sunset, and at 9 o'clock the party returned to their homes, perfectly delighted with their happy experiences A large invitation outdoor party is among the possibilities

THAT handsome and substantial Cleveland iron fence which decorates the Eldorado and Franklin street sides of Ald D S Shellabarger's new residence lot, was put up by Will L Ferguson, of the North Water street hardware store It is a beautiful fence and Mr. Ferguson did a splendid job of work in putting it together Persons wishing any work of that kind done should give Mr Ferguson a call His terms are low

NEXT Sunday there will be a change of time and the distance of running the train known as the Jacksonville and Decatur accommodation, on the Wabash road The train will, after Sunday next, make one trip a day between Bement and Jacksonville for the accommodation of merchants and farmers who wish to visit various intervening points on the Wabash

THE opera house this evening on the occasion of the Our Goblins entertainment will be made as cool and inviting as an airy summer house in a shady dell Manager Haines would be pleased to have all his friends visit the hall this evening They will witness an excellent performance and no mistake

AS HAS heretofore been stated in these columns the $425 span of mules stolen from J W Mishler, of Cerro Gordo, were found in the possession of a farmer by the name of Morgan, near Blue Mound They were traded to Morgan by the thief who got in exchange a team of horses and $110 Mishler recovered the mules

M... HAINES received a telegram ... [illegible] announcing ... great circus and menagerie ... on Friday, June 17th ... [illegible] this month

THE ... Mitchell Pleasure Party is ... at the St Nicholas and will ... the opera house this evening in Our Goblins one of the best and most laughable comedies of the age Let there be a big house Popular prices

THE session of the Illinois Conference will be held this year at Pana Sept 14th Bishop S M Merrill will preside

GROUND will be broken for George D Haworth's $40,000 castle the last of this month

Questions Considered

THE sermons in the U B C church in the present series are of necessity short The speaker can only touch upon the more salient points in the topics discussed It will not be strange if he is not understood or misunderstood in some expressions and phases of thought developed Questions growing out of any subject discussed will receive respectful consideration As a pledge of good faith but not for publicity the names of questioners are required Questions may be dropped in the postoffice, box 991, Decatur JNO V POTTS

Monthly Teas.

The ladies of Stapp's Chapel have decided to give a tea at the residence of some member of the congregation once a month These are designed to be pleasant social gatherings All are invited Young ladies and gentlemen will be made especially welcome The first Tea will be given at the parsonage this evening The pastor and wife and all concerned extend a hearty invitation to all to patronize these gatherings

The Triple Link

OFFICE TUSCOLA ENCAMPMENT
No 103, I O O F,
TUSCOLA, ILL, May 6 1881

There will be a School of Instruction in the Encampment degrees at Tuscola, on Monday, May 15, at 3 and 8 o'clock p m Gen J C Smith, Grand Scribe of the Grand Encampment of Illinois, and others, will be present to exemplify the work We have candidates who will be admitted, advanced and exalted at the evening session Trains leave at a convenient time after the evening session so that Patriarchs living on the I, D & S Ry and Illinois Central can return home same night All Patriarchs in good standing are invited to attend

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DOWN CERRO GORDO STREET.

A "Republican" Reporter's Afternoon Ramble Along a Busy Thoroughfare

What Helps to Make Decatur a Flourishing Business City

The writer recently attempted to give the numerous readers of the REPUBLICAN at home and abroad some idea of the big building boom in Decatur, and found that by a careful estimate nearly $200,000 have been expended since last fall and are now being expended in improvements alone, giving abundant lucrative employment to all the available mechanics and laborers in our midst, and while making the grand rounds to collect the facts on which the amount above given is based, the reporter was forcibly impressed with the business industry observable and the manufacturing importance of Cerro Gordo street, from North Main east to the Union depot He wondered if the people knew what a lively street it was, and mentally resolved to write it up some day Below is given the result of a hasty ramble down the street on yesterday afternoon

David Kyle, who has lived in Decatur since 1854, has been engaged in the broom making business for the past 16 years, on the south side of the street, between Main and Water During the 16 years Mr Kyle has manufactured and sold 8,000 dozen brooms, an average of 40 dozen a month

On the north side of the street, opposite Mr Kyle's place of business, is Townsend & Crown's blacksmith, horse shoe, wagon and repair establishment They do good work and are kept busy 9 to 10 months in each year

John H Kingsley has his paint shop located west of Ferguson's store

Will L. Ferguson is the energetic proprietor of the North Water street hardware store and general repair shop, opposite Wayne Bros works He has a capital of $3,500 to $4,000 invested, and last year did a business amounting to $20,000. His jobbing business is very large

At No 9 North Water street, near the corner, is Dr J T Hubbard's drug store He keeps on hand a full supply of pure drugs, toilet goods, fancy articles, cigars, and does a business of $7,000 to $8,000 each year He makes a speciality of drug supplies for country physicians and does a large jobbing business Among the specialties on the shelves are Edward R Squibb's and Park, Davis & Co's fine medicines, capital invested about $4,000 Silas G McClelland is the Doctor's active assistant

At No 71 is Gus Wood's tonsorial parlor—"Gus" was formerly with Young & Norman, and is assisted by Wm Ermentrout late of St Louis

John Zeller's meat market is doing a flourishing business and is popular with all classes The establishment is first class in every respect He does a business which averages about $32,000 a year, on a capital of about $8,000

Williams & Son's grocery store is located near the Wabash road, and has a good patronage

Charles Adderley is the proprietor of the Wabash grocery at No 77, and does a business aggregating $5,000 a year Capital about $6,000, which includes the building

Amos Imboden is the genial proprietor of a trim cigar stand at No 79, and does a flourishing business

North of the Wabash road, at No 85, is W H Reeme's large grocery store, which is well supplied with all the best goods in that line He does a business of about $10,000 a year on a capital of about $4,000

At No 87 North Water street is James F Holliday's snug grocery store He has been established in business for about six months and carries a thousand dollar stock of goods He is building up a good trade

Festus McClure is a merry and flourishing ... and shoemaker and cobbler at No 86 North Water street and does a business aggregating $1,000 a year

Charles P Thatcher who has been in the lumber business in Decatur since 1872, is in sight of Cerro Gordo street He has an extensive lumber yard and gives employment to six men in the present busy season Mr Thatcher has a capital of $10,000 invested and does a business which averages $50,000 a year He is assisted by M J Oliver, late of Wichita Kan, as book keeper, and Frank M Gaddis as foreman of the yard

The Wayne Bros proprietors of the Keystone Carriage Works give employment to 15 to 25 mechanics and put up first class carriages buggies and wagons, besides doing a large amount of repair work They do a business of $25,000 to $30,000 a year on a capital of $6,000

N P Meek, late of Greenfield, Indiana, has engaged in the sheet iron roofing business and has a large stock on hand at his office on the southeast corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets He does work outside of Decatur and is always busy

James A Miller has a capital of $10,000 invested in the rag trade near the Wabash railway, and does a good business

William J Logan has opened a blacksmith and wagon shop near the Bethel church and has all he can do in his line

D S Shellabarger & Co's mammoth merchant mill which was recently erected at a cost of $50,000 is one of the prominent institutions of Decatur, and does a business of about $400,000 a year on a capital of $40,000 in stock They give steady employment to about 30 men and two teams, and as soon as the improvements now under way are finished, which will involve an outlay of $20,000, they will require the services of six more men The two mills now turn out nearly 400 barrels of flour each day, and when the improvements contemplated are completed the capacity of the two mills will be increased to 500 to 550 barrels daily and will consume 2500 bushels of wheat each day.

Robert McClelland the coal and wood dealer, has done a "land office" business in the coal trade during the past season, and did his level best to supply all orders promptly with good success He handles Howlett Junction, Sandoval and DuQuoin coal also the best brand of Piedmont, Va, Blossburg blacksmith coal The present prices are $3.50 for soft coal, $9 for hard coal

The firm of Ashby & Andrese wholesale and retail furniture dealers, have permanently established themselves in business on the northeast corner of Cerro Gordo and Franklin streets, and occupy a large two story frame building which was finished last January at a cost of nearly $1500 The building is 40 by 60 feet in size, and is filled with a superior stock of all kinds of furniture valued at $8,000 The firm has built a common sense patent process dry house for lumber at a cost of $800 They have leased the old Stare Bros planing mill which has a frontage of 200 feet, for a term of five years, and yesterday put the mill in operation They will manufacture furniture of various kinds and do a business aggregating $30,000 a year

The Decatur Bagging Factory, between Jackson and Franklin streets, is one of the most important and permanent establishments in Decatur, and does a business amounting to nearly $250,000 each year The business is carried on by Messrs. A. W. and C A Conklin R. D Block is the book keeper and John Gordon is the superintendent of the operating rooms. The firm have four tow mills—at Paxton, Rantoul, Onarga and Buckley, Ill,—and employ altogether 200 men, women girls and boys. They manufacture exclusively bagging made from flax and jute which is used for baling a part of the cotton crop of the south The factory contains about 30 different machines, which turn out 7,000 yards of bagging daily, or 2,000,000 yards yearly.

The Decatur Tank Line Company is flourishing under the management of Mr A. Baer, and will probably make noticeable improvements this season The business the past season has been unusually large The Standard Oil Company, of which the Decatur company is a branch, have their head quarters at Cleveland, Ohio They now have stored above ground over 22,000,000 barrels of oil and they have over 9,000 wells at Bradford, Pa, and have a capital of $43,000,000 invested in all the branches of the business The company produce 25,000 barrels of oil per day more than is called for by the markets of the world The company has expended over $8,000,000 for tanks alone in which to store their oil

Lyon Gipson & Co have expended about $... this spring in increasing the size and capacity of their planing mill near Broadway. They employ ... men and do a good business amounting to $... per year on a capital of $10,000 The firm have excellent facilities for making everything used in constructing any kind of a dwelling and are kept constantly at work filling orders which crowd upon them

P Loeb, proprietor of the Decatur Iron Foundry, which occupies a space of ground ... feet wide and 120 feet deep, near the Wabash railway on Broadway, has been in the business for ... years and now employs 40 men, doing a business of $40,000 to $50,000 each year on a capital of $25,000 The foreman of the operating room is Wm, Morris, and the book keeper is Roy Loughboro Mr Loeb does only first class work in his line and is kept constantly busy He is building up quite an important trade abroad and has sent goods manufactured at the foundry to Chicago, St Louis, Peoria Bloomington, Alton Quincy, Dubuque and various other places in Illinois and other states

The Decatur Woolen Mills north of the Wabash road, on Broadway are now in operation, under the management of D L Sheck ley and George Vantilper, the latter gentleman being the superintendent of the mills They give employment to nearly ... operatives four of whom are from Ohio The managers will add new machinery in a few weeks which will increase the capacity of the establishment in a large measure The wood work on the outside of the factory will be newly painted this season The business of the mills is on a firm basis and is growing steadily in importance The factory is in the hands of energetic experienced managers and is bound to succeed

F A Stephens & Brown ... stock of groceries on the corner south of ... and do a good business

Coroner John Dunnen is still doing a flourishing trade in the grocery business at the old stand on Broadway near the corner of Cerro Gordo He carries a large stock of goods and is prospering

A BIG BEE HIVE

On entering the famous steam check rower manufactory of Haworth & Sons which has a frontage of 16 feet on Morgan and ... feet on Cerro Gordo street the reporter expected to witness a busy scene and he did The hum of active industry in all parts of the immense three-story brick establishment which has a spacious basement beneath is the first thing that greets the ears of the visitor, and the longer he remains in the building the more deeply is he impressed with the large interests centred there, to say nothing of the beneficial results that are to be secured by the use of the ever popular Haworth check rowers which find their way each year to all parts of the corn growing districts in this great country The firm give employment to over 100 operatives and they are kept at work day and night in the attempt to supply the constantly increasing demand The firm commenced shipping this season as early as last September, and though the supply of check rowers on hand was double that of the previous season the stock is now about exhausted with over ... orders on the books yet to be filled and how they are going to fill them is what is just now worrying the firm Their business has tripled within ... months and to meet the demand next season they will keep things humming at the factory all the year round in another attempt to supply the trade They will put in a number of new machines to increase their capacity and hope by hard work to be able to fill orders ... Haworth & Sons have ... branch houses ... one at Kansas City Mo in charge of John W Phillips one at Council Bluff Iowa in charge of George S ... another at Lafayette Ind, in charge of ... and still another at Columbus Ohio in charge of Harry F Haworth The firm has a capital of $... invested in property and stock and to an enormous business a business that has made the name of Haworth & Sons and Decatur famous throughout the country

D F Lewis ... grocery business at the corner of Morgan and Cerro Gordo streets does a thriving trade on a total capital of $500 His stock is complete

A few doors south is Dr J S Kingsolfer The doctor is building up a large and paying practice in that part of the city

Kincaid & Sterr who have lately taken possession of their new meat market on Morgan street do a business aggregating $... on a total capital $...

L M Gill the popular and energetic ... owns a first class ... large patronage

Swearingen & Schilling proprietors of the Morgan street drug store, have a capital of $9,000 invested in their business and are flourishing

Near the corner of Front street on the south side of Cerro Gordo John McEvoy has expended nearly $2,000 in putting up new frame business buildings containing ... rooms They are rented by McFord & Ball barbers Mr Williams shoemaker, and Edward Rymal The latter gentleman will ... rooms for a restaurant and ice cream parlor

John Archer & Co occupy a large two story agricultural implement warehouse 30 by 100 feet in size on the north side of Cerro Gordo street, between Front and Morgan They represent a large number of the leading manufacturing establishments in all parts of the county and do a business amounting to $100,000 a year John Archer & Co are energetic men and have permanently located in Decatur because of the excellent railroad facilities afforded them They carry an immense stock of goods and ship to all parts of the country in large quantities

David Martin who has a capital of $... invested in the lime hair, plaster and cement supply trade has a large business and ships supplies to nearly all points ... miles distant in all directions outside of Decatur He is centrally located on the northeast corner of Morgan and Cerro Gordo streets and has every advantage of the very best railroad facilities Mr Martin's free stone manufacturing interests are growing larger with each succeeding year

FINE French Corsets—only 16, 17, 18 The price was $1.50 Will close them out at 50c each LINN & SCRUGGS Feb3 d&wtf

THE EGYPTIAN RAT DESTROYER

Is the best preparation ever devised for the extermination of these troublesome vermin and all other insects bugs, roaches etc ...

$5 to $20 per day at home Samples worth $5 free Address STINSON & Co, Portland Maine feb3d&wly

A Wooden Wedding.

Five years ago yesterday Mr Charles Brett and Miss Laura J Blow, in the presence of a large company of friends stood before the clergyman at Mr George Hunsley's pleasant home on East Prairie street, and were joined together in marriage by Rev Horace Reed Last evening the happy couple were made the pleased "victims" of a joyous wooden wedding surprise at the Hunsley residence, in which a large company participated The guests were right royally entertained by the fair managers "Grandpa" and little Fleeta Brett, whose little bright eyes and pleasant ways added much to the delights of the occasion Choice refreshments in great abundance were served party fashion The gifts included the following useful articles

Hand painted easel lake scene center piece, from Mrs O N Bumble

Rustic hanging basket, Mrs J S Kaufman

Home made wooden razor in case "Wade and Butcher's best" O N Bramble

Cabinet photo frame, satin trimming Mrs, Agnes Dunston

Double cabinet photo frame Mrs Martha Brett and son Will

Pair of pretty adjustable brackets, Mr and Mrs Amos Conkling

Wall towel rack, Mr and Mrs Ben Howenstine

Handsome Japanese bracket, Miss Katie Buchert.

Panel picture of calla lilies Mrs Will L Ferguson and Mrs George Brett

Beautiful marble top card stand Mr and Mrs Will Downing

Large cedar bucket, J M Ehrman and Charles Walters

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs Miller, of Danville, is visiting Dr Goodwin and family

Roy Bevender late of Sullivan has located in Decatur and engaged in business here

Rev Mr Henning wife and six children, took dinner in this city yesterday on their way to Clinton, where Mr Henning takes Dr Stevenson's place

Henry Schlaudeman of this city, is in Chicago attending the annual convention of the United States Brewers' Association, now in session in that place

Mrs W H Reeme is in Tiffin Seneca county, Ohio, visiting her eldest daughter, Mrs B F Knepper and other relatives She will be absent for three weeks

Bishop Seymour, of the Diocese of Springfield has purchased the residence property of John A Chestnut, in that city, paying $15,000 therefor It will be the Episcopal residence

Rev W F Gilmore, of Beardstown, was in the city yesterday He reports that the quarantine that Beardstown has had for five weeks is lifted and the schools and churches are again open Twenty two persons died with small pox and the town was nearly deserted

Mr and Mrs Hiram Imboden and child of Wichita, Kansas, arrived in the city yesterday, and will remain here for two weeks visiting relatives and friends Mr Imboden is in the milling business in Wichita

New Albany (Ind) *Ledger Standard* 11th inst Mr Ben F Dodson, Jr, publisher of Burr Robins & Colvin's Great American and German Allied Shows is in the city to day He is a son of our former well known fellow citizen Mr Ben F Dodson and is a fine healthy looking young man of 200 pounds

Milton Johnson member of the banking house of J Millikin & Co departed last night for Greenfield Wis on a two weeks visit to his father and other relatives He has been closely confined to his business for the past five years and needs a holiday

A New Depot

Says the Sullivan *Journal* of the 11th G T Bradbury, general manager of the P D & E, and John B Cohrs attorney for the same road were in town Thursday They came to make arrangements for new grounds for a new depot and for the Y's which are soon to be put in in order to run trains from Evansville to Chicago by way of this place John R Eaker promised to give the company depot grounds if they would put up a good building which they will probably do, at the crossing of the two roads

PALACE HOTEL,
N LAUX, Proprietor,
SOUTH MAIN ST, ... DECATUR ILL ... Livery stable in connection ... Carriages furnished at all hours ...

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IN VARIETY UNEXCELLED,

—AT A—

Prices that Cannot be Equaled

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CHEAP STORE,

Sign of the **BIG 18**, Merchant St
May ... dtf

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Court House Block.

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A better or larger assortment of *DRY GOODS* and *CARPETS* adapted to the wants of this community cannot be found **anywhere else, and** as we *Buy in Large Quantities*, and *chiefly* of the ***Importers and Manufacturers***, and as our *Sales* exceed that of *any other House* **in the United States** according to population, which requires a **very small per cent. on the** amount of our sales to pay our expenses, it will not be **taxing the credulity** of the people too much when we claim that no House in **Chicago or St** Louis, *much less* in Decatur, *can compete with us on LOW PRICES*, **because** the expenses of the former, according to sales, double **that of ours**, while the pretentions of the latter—at least those who **pretend to be** "Leaders" and "Importers" and buyers for cash—***presume greatly on the*** *ignorance of the public*, when they try to set themselves **up as competitors.**

We know how to buy goods where to buy them, and *what* **will sell** them

LINN & SCRUGGS

April ... d&wtf

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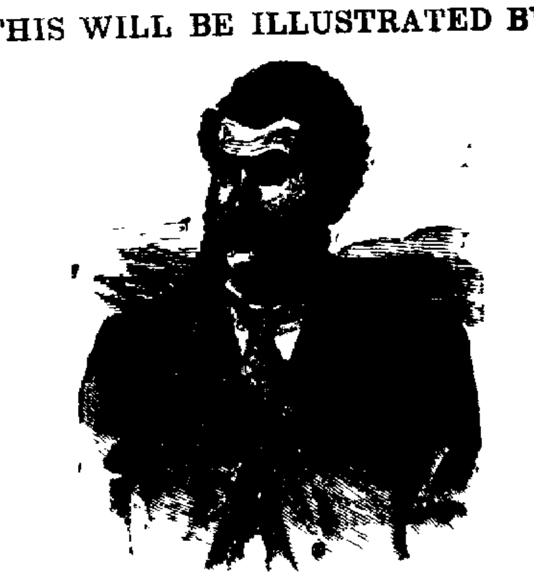

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Who cuts the most stylish garments and guarantees a FIT!

Who cut the price of Tailoring, and in this made a hit!

Who in Men's, Youth's and Children's Clothing has a stock stylish and warm.

Who has in Hats and Caps, a comfort to the soul, and to the eye a charm!

Who, like George Washington, CANNOT TELL A LIE,

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We are now prepared to ... on short notice and in fine style at ... tables on West Main ...
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Public sentiment is being turned up side down by the new modes of decorating walls and ceilings. Abel & Locke's ... new decorator is busy all the time. Their new favorite genius—originates ... these specimens of the work ... the ceilings at Abel & Locke's ...
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To all Points East, West North & South

And Baggage Checked from Starting Point to Destination

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station

Main Line

GOING EAST

No. 5, Through Express	10 [illegible] m
" 4 Atlantic Express	12 [illegible] m
" 2, Lightning Express	10 [illegible] p m
" 8, Arrives	[illegible] p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets

Going East	11 [illegible] m
Going "	10 p m
Going "	4 [illegible] m

GOING WEST

No. 3 Fast Line	4 [illegible] a m
7 Jacksonville Accommodation	7 [illegible] a m
5, Fast Mail	3 [illegible] p m
1, Through Express	7 [illegible] p m

The following freight train will carry passengers with tickets

Going West	11 [illegible] p m
Going "	11 [illegible] p m

Chicago Division

On and after Sunday, Oct. 14th, 1883 trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W. St. L. & P. Ry. (Wabash Line)

GOING TO

No. 48 Chicago Express	1 [illegible] a m
46 Through Express	1 [illegible] a m
44 Chicago Mail	1 [illegible] p m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO

No. 47 St. Louis Express	8 [illegible] m
45, St. Louis Mail	3 [illegible] p m
" 43 Through Express	10 [illegible] p m

St. Louis Division

GOING WEST

No. 4, St. Louis Express	1 [illegible] a m
" 44, Fast Line,	4 50 a. m.
" 42, Decatur and St. Louis Accom.	1 [illegible] m
" 46, Fast Mail	3 40 p m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS

No. 48 Chicago Express	1 [illegible] a m
" 44, Atlantic Express	11 [illegible] a m
" 46 St. Louis and Decatur Accom.	9 [illegible] p m
" 42, Lightning Express	10 40 p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets [illegible]

Going West	[illegible] m
Arrive from West	2 00 p m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East	10 40 a m
Leave for Champaign	[illegible] p m

For Maps, Time Tables and any information, call on or address

J. C. GAULT, Gen'l Manager, H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen'l Pass. Agent, ST. LOUIS

OR K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, Feb. 14th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Mail and Express	11 25 a. m.
Way Freight	7 00 a. m.
Through Freight	7 40 p. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express	12 30 p. m.
Way Freight	7 22 a. m.
Through Freight	9 15 p. m.

M. E. ADAMS, Agent

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville R'y

Take this Line for

Burlington, Council Bluffs, Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Close connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin

GOING EAST

Passenger	10 40 a m
"	10 [illegible] p m
Freight	4 00 p m

GOING WEST

Passenger	[illegible] a m
"	1 20 p m
Freight	11 00 a m

O. R. COBLEIGH, Supt.
L. M. BERI, G. P. A.

Decatur Ill., Oct. 1, 1880

Indianapolis, Decatur and Springfield

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Take this for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railway, Illinois Central (Chicago Division), Paris and Danville Railway, E. T. H. & C. Ry., and I. C. & S. Ry. Close connections being made at all Junction Stations, and through tickets on sale at the ticket offices, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME-CARD

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST

Mail and Express No. 2	12 [illegible] p m
Night Express No. 4	11 [illegible] p m
Way Freight	[illegible] a m
Mixed and Stock Train No. 10	[illegible] p m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS

Mail and Day Express No. 1	[illegible] p m
Night Express No. 3	4 [illegible] a m
Way Freight	7 [illegible] p m
Through Freight and Mixed train No. 9	8 15 a. m.

H. B. MORRE, Superintendent
G. T. NUTTER, Traffic Manager

Decatur Ill., April 1, 1881

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 21, 1878

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows

GOING NORTH

Passenger,	1 [illegible] a m
Accommodation	3 40 p m
Freight	[illegible]

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation	10 [illegible] a m
Passenger,	[illegible] p m
Freight,	9 20 a m

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J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago
C. G. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur

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HARVEY PASCO,

Attorney at Law,

Solicitor in Chancery and Notary Public.

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BUNN & PARK,

D. L. Bunn. Edwin Park

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Office No. 14 East Main street, up stairs, Decatur, Illinois. April 9-d-tf

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Office over Hilderbrand's Drug Store, Decatur, Illinois. April 1-tf

WILLIAM L. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

—AND—

Solicitor in Chancery

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Private funds to loan on long or short time. Feb. 12-1881-w1t

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Prompt attention given to all kinds of collections. Money to loan on real estate. May 5, 1881—d&w1t

ABBETT & SUMMERS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

—AND—

NOTARY PUBLIC

OFFICE, Old South Water street, 1st door south of the Court House, with Ira B. Curtis, Justice of the Peace. July 1-d&w1y

Prompt attention given to collections.

Anthony Thornton, J. C. Eldridge.

THORNTON, ELDRIDGE & HOSTETTER

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

Office up stairs 1st door south of the Decatur National Bank. Nov. 1-1881-w1t

W. C. JOHNS

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Office East Main street, Decatur, Ill. Special attention given to Commercial business. March 1-d-w1t

FRANK W. HAINES

BILL POSTER DISTRIBUTOR.

AGENT SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE,

Orders left in my care at the Post-Office or Exchange Room will receive prompt attention.

D. C. FERRITT

Attorney-at-Law,

Office on the second floor of the building formerly occupied by C. Nixon, East side Water, over W. C. Arnold's Drug Store. June 1-w1y

CLOFFEY & McCOLEY,

John M. McColey, Frank Mills.

Attorneys & Counselors-at-Law.

Office over the Decatur National Bank, entrance on Water street. Will practice in the Circuit Courts of Macon and adjoining counties, and in the Supreme Court of the State. Decatur, Ill., 1881-w1t

DR. A. S. WALTZ

DENTIST.

Office over Barbour's Store, South side Main street. Residence No. 42 North Main street. Decatur, Illinois. Jan. 1-1881-d&w1y

JOHN A. BROWN,

Attorney-at-Law,

And Master in Chancery for Macon County, Illinois. Office 22 North Water street, west side of New Square, Decatur, Ill. Jan. 1d 1879—d&w1y

DAVID HUTCHINSON,

Attorney and Counselor at Law.

Office with Esq. Wood, over Millikin National Bank, Decatur, Illinois. Aug. 19—d&w6mos*

DR. W. J. LANE

DENTIST.

Office over Pedicord & Burrows' Bank, Decatur, Illinois. April 8-tf

HENRY MITCHELL

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS

Special attention to Commercial business. Suits collected in all States and Territories. Office with Culver & Carter, No. 50 North Water street. Jan. 7-81-w1t

Redemption Notice.

To Wm. Christian or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 3d day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1878, I purchased the following described lands to-wit: The north part of north east quarter of southwest quarter and west part of northeast quarter southwest quarter and part south half lot one (1) of southwest quarter and lot one (1) of northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section nineteen (19), township seventeen (17), range four (4) east of 3d P. M. taxed in the name of Wm. Christian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 23d day of July, A. D. 1881. A. EVANS

April 16, 1881-w6w*

J. J. PEDDICORD, J. BURROWS, WM. M. BOYD

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A general Banking Business transacted but *no interest paid on deposits*

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of ENOS KEPLER, Sr., Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Enos Kepler, Sr., deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 3d Monday of June, A. D. 1881, being the 1st day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., April 4, A. D. 1881.

ENOS KEPLER, Executor.

April 5—d&w

$70 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & CO., Augusta, Maine. Feb5-d&w1y

PUBLIC NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss.

To the May Term of the Circuit Court, A. D. 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons concerned, that as the guardian of Lulu Williams, by appointment of the County Court of the county of Montgomery, in the State of Kentucky, and under and in pursuance of the order and direction of the said County Court, and in pursuance of the statute of the State of Illinois, I will make application to the said Circuit Court of Macon county at the said May term, A. D. 1881, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, Illinois, on the second Monday in said month, by petition to said Circuit Court for the order of the same authorizing me to sell the following described lands lying and being situate in the said county of Macon, to-wit: The north half of the southeast quarter and thirty one acres off of the south side of the south half of the northeast quarter of section thirty—all said lands being in town fifteen north range three east of the third principal meridian, belonging to said minor, said sale to be made for the purpose of the support and education of said minor, and the investment money be directed by said County Court.

April 11th, A. D. 1881.

HENRY M. WOODFORD, Guardian.

W. C. Johns, Solicitor for Petitioner.

April 18-d-w.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS Benjamin W. Porter, widower, by his certain trust deed dated the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1875, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Morgan county, in the state of Missouri, in book No. 3 of mortgages, pages 479 and following, conveyed to Charles M. Caldwell, under the name of C. M. Caldwell, of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, as trustee, the premises hereinafter described to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date with said deed, executed by one Isaac R. Hitt, for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, payable in one year after date to the order of H. J. Caldwell, value received, with interest at ten per cent per annum until paid, which said deed contained a provision that in case of default in the payment of said promissory note or interest on either of them, it shall be lawful for the said trustee to sell and dispose of the premises, or any part thereof, either in mass or in parcels, as said trustee may prefer, at public auction at the court house door in Decatur, in the state of Illinois, thirty days notice of said sale having been first given in one of the newspapers published in said city of Decatur. And whereas default has been made in the payment of said promissory note and the interest thereon from the date of said note, and the legal holder of said note has applied to me to sell and dispose of said land in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust, and there is now due on said note the sum of three hundred and five dollars and twenty cents. Now, therefore, I, Charles M. Caldwell, trustee as aforesaid, hereby give public notice that in pursuance of such application, by virtue of the power given me by said deed of trust, I shall, on Saturday, the 28th day of May, A. D. 1881, at the door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the premises conveyed to me by said deed of trust, situated in the county of Macon and state of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit: The west half of lot No. one (1) in the northwest quarter of section No. five (5), and the west half of the southwest quarter of section No. five (5), and the south east quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. six (6), all in township No. forty one (41), range No. eighteen (18) west of the fifth principal meridian, and containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less, according to government survey, and all right, title, benefit and equity of redemption of the said Benjamin W. Porter, in, to, or in and to the same.

Decatur, Ill., April 1, 1881.

C. M. CALDWELL, Trustee.

W. C. Johns, Atty.

April 6-d&w

TRUSTEES SALE.

WHEREAS Benjamin W. Porter, widower, by his certain trust deed dated the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1875, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Morgan county, in the state of Missouri, in book No. 3 of mortgages, pages 479 and following, conveyed to Charles M. Caldwell, under the name of C. M. Caldwell, of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, as trustee, the premises hereinafter described to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date with said deed, executed by one Isaac R. Hitt, for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, payable in one year after date to the order of H. J. Caldwell, value received, with interest at ten per cent per annum until paid, which said deed contained a provision that in case of default in the payment of said promissory note or interest on either of them, it shall be lawful for the said trustee to sell and dispose of the premises, or any part thereof, either in mass or in parcels, as said trustee may prefer, at public auction at the court house door in Decatur, in the state of Illinois, thirty days notice of said sale having been first given in one of the newspapers published in said city of Decatur. And whereas default has been made in the payment of said promissory note and the interest thereon from the date of said note, and the legal holder of said note has applied to me to sell and dispose of said land in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust, and there is now due on said note the sum of three hundred and five dollars and twenty cents. Now, therefore, I, Charles M. Caldwell, trustee as aforesaid, hereby give public notice that in pursuance of such application, by virtue of the power given me by said deed of trust, I shall, on Saturday, the 28th day of May, A. D. 1881, at the door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the premises conveyed to me by said deed of trust, situated in the county of Macon and state of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit: The west half of lot No. one (1) in the northwest quarter of section No. five (5), and the west half of the southwest quarter of section No. five (5), and the south east quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. six (6), all in township No. forty one (41), range No. eighteen (18) west of the fifth principal meridian, and containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less, according to government survey, and all right, title, benefit and equity of redemption of the said Benjamin W. Porter, in, to, or in and to the same thereon.

Decatur, Ill., April 1, 1881.

C. M. CALDWELL, Trustee.

W. C. Johns, Atty.

April 6-d&w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of The People of the State of Illinois and against Edward F. Funk and William Ritchie, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The south half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eleven (11), in township seventeen (17) north, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said William Ritchie, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1881, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 18th day of April, A. D. 1881.

WILLIAM W. FOSTER, Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

April 19—d-w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Elizabeth Spangler and against Jacob Spangler, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The south east quarter of the south west quarter of section seven (7) and all of the north half of lot one (1) of the northwest quarter of section eighteen (18) except sixteen acres off of the south end,—all of the above land being in township sixteen (16) north, range three east of the third principal meridian, Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said Jacob Spangler which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1881, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 14th day of May, A. D. 1881.

WM. W. FOSTER, Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.

Isaac A. Brown, Attorney for Plaintiff.

May 14—d-w

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss.

Public notice is hereby given, that on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1881, Phineas B. Prosser, furniture dealer of Decatur, Illinois, made a voluntary assignment of his stock of furniture under an act concerning voluntary assignments and conferring jurisdiction thereon upon county courts, in force July 1, 1877, to the undersigned, and all creditors are hereby notified to present their claims under oath or affirmation to me within three months of this date. HARRY C. LINTNER, Assignee.

Decatur, Ill., April 28, 1881.

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb7-d&w1y

Favorite Beverages

I'll take a light drink, said the gas man. Give me something mild, said the timid man. Give me a straight drink, said the soldier. Crooked whisky for me, said the hunch-back. Let me have something with body in it, said the undertaker. I'll take a Bourbon sour, said the misanthrope. Give me a brandy smash, said the hoodlum. I'll take a cocktail, said the poultry dealer. Give me a punch, said the horse-car conductor. I'll take a cobbler, said the shoemaker. Give me a schooner, said the sailor. I'll try a pony, said the horse jockey. I'll take some bitters in mine, said the disappointed lover. Set 'em up again, said the proprietor of the bowling alley.

A housekeeper in Newton, Mass., writes that her test for oleomargarine is this "Take a knife—any kind or shape will do—and scrape the butter (?) gently, but with a firm touch, two or three times, then hold it up to the light to discover if there be any fuzz hanging thereto, or cut off a piece and hold it in the same position. By doing thus the writer of this has found fuzz varying from an eighth of an inch to an inch in length. This is your sweet butter, the hated 'oleo.' Good butter never shows these signs of weakness." After the suggestion has been laughed at, perhaps it may be tried.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease consumption. Ask yourself if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Smith's cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a million bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup, and whooping cough at once. Mothers do not be without it. For lame back, side, or chest use Smith's Patent Plaster. Sold by Henry Smith, druggist.

Dyspepsia & Liver Complaint.

Is not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so, call at our store and get a bottle of Smith's Nutritizer. Every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use according to and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Henry Smith.

We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal injector goes with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith. Dec 11-d&w1y

MR. PATTERSON'S MEANS WHAT HE SAID

Mr. Editor: I was induced to use a well known patent medicine prepared by a well known druggist, by all who use it, to cure my wife of a long standing complaint, which it has done, and we have found it a perfect cure. We feel bound to give this testimony in favor of the medicine, that others may be benefited. We thought we would try it, as we had tried everything else we could hear of, without any good result, and we are now glad we did so. We believe it to be the best medicine in the world for the complaint for which it is recommended. Yours truly, HYMAN HOLMAN.

Hunting Ton Conn., Aug. 29, 1880.

New Haven Conn., Nov. 1, 1880.

My children were all sent six months with whooping cough. We tried all the usually prescribed medicines, with Horse Specifics, etc., with but little relief, until we gave them Dr. Jones' Cough Pill, and which immediately gave them relief. I believe it saved their lives. Truly yours, C. H. LOST, 261 Chapel St.

Detroit, June 1, 1881.

I was unable to old enough to stand and youth. I have been troubled for years for the past five years. Day and Night. Nothing in the world I can find to do me any good. Dr. Jones' COUGH & DYSPEPSIA CURE.

NEWS FROM HEAD HILL.

John Connors, of Gordon, writes: Have you an agent for Spring Bissell in our town near here. I had a bottle brought me by a friend who came on a visit from Bridgeford, and who knew I was suffering from weakness in the back and kidneys. He said he had used it to my advantage, and to make me do the same. I did so and feel so much better I wish to send for more. If you have a agent any where near me send forward pay the express by return mail. Inclose a dollar in bottles. O. D. Price $1 per bottle, 6 bottles $5 cents.

Announcement

We are authorized to announce to the citizens of Decatur and Macon county, that the new spring Hats and Shoes received by J. W. Baker is the most stylish and best [illegible] in the city. [illegible] d&w1t

SPECIAL attention is invited to our New Goods and also to our "Lunch Table," which has very low price attractions every day. LINN & SCRUGGS. March 1-d&w1t

Go to Dr. A. T. Stone's, south side City Park, for Mrs. Bateman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled. Color 2 to 5 lb., price 10 cents. Feb 28-d1t

Butterick's Spring Pattern Publications

AT HAND TODAY

Feb 1-d&w1t LINN & SCRUGGS

Choice Pearl Onions in Sulls now for sale at Freeman's. Feb 2-d1w J. J. Harsted

BUCKLENS ARNICA SALVE

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of skin eruptions. This salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box.

FINE French Corset only 10c, 1.25. The price was $1.50. Will close them out at 10c each. LINN & SCRUGGS. Feb 8-d&w1t

NEW Carpets, new Wall papers, new styles of decorating, new prices. Abel & Locke are turning things upside down. See their card in another place. 24-d&w1t

Ladies

Do you want a pure, blooming Complexion? If so, a few applications of Hagan's MAGNOLIA BALM will gratify you to your heart's content. It does away with Sallowness, Redness, Pimples, Blotches, and all diseases and imperfections of the skin. It overcomes the flushed appearance of heat, fatigue and excitement. It makes a lady of THIRTY appear but TWENTY; and so natural, gradual, and perfect are its effects, that it is impossible to detect its application.

DECATUR

Business College

[illegible] respectfully [illegible] that he has opened a Business College in Decatur, [illegible] which will be [illegible] the [illegible]

In Central Block,

Over the Post Office Block

Every Day and Evening in the Week.

By long and successful experience in teaching, as well as many years life in the metropolis of the world, he is enabled to guarantee to his patrons a complete and practical [illegible]

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IN ITS VARIOUS BRANCHES

Business is given to his pupils such instruction and practice (without charge) as their time required is will and [illegible] thoroughly competent.

Terms for the Full Course, $15.

You can open now [illegible] enterprise since [illegible] and [illegible] to benefit of the young men of the city, will be [illegible] appreciated.

W. S. STEWART.

REFERENCES

[illegible] Decatur National Bank; [illegible] Burrows & Co., Bankers, City; Messrs. [illegible] City; [illegible] Nat. Bank; [illegible] Co., City. [illegible]

Gonorrhoea, Gleet, Stricture, Seminal Emissions, Impotency, Syphilis, Diseases of the Urinary Organs, Venereal Diseases in all their forms, Diseases of the Skin, Blood and Kidneys, Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, Loss of Memory, Exhaustion, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Piles, Fistula, Rupture, Hydrocele, Varicocele, Impotence, Sterility, Gravel, Diabetes, Dropsy, Stone in the Bladder, Kidney Complaints, Diseases of the Eye and Ear, Deformities, Club Feet, Spinal Diseases, Paralysis, Epilepsy, Fits, Tremblings, Deafness, Cancer, Tumors, Chronic Diseases, Blood Poisons, Syphilitic Diseases, Mercurial Diseases, Diseases of the Throat and Nose, Diseases of Females, Leucorrhoea, Irregularities, Prolapsus, Ulceration, Inflammation, Fever, Consumption, Liver Complaint, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Tetter, Eczema, Ringworm, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Tumors, Cancers